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Applicants: Jao, F., et al.

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Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT THEREFOR

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Communication (i.e., a Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief) mailed February 12, 2007 for two (2) month(s) from March 12, 2007 to May 12, 2007. Applicants are filing a continuation-in-part application claiming priority to the above-referenced application.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0750/AZ0017-USANP/MAA in the name of Johnson & Johnson for the cost of filing this Petition. Three copies of this Petition are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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